

PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 102**HOUSE BILL NO. 2241****By Representatives Mike Turner, Odom****Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2184****By Senators Kyle, Crutchfield**

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50, Chapter 3, relative to issuance of citations to employers by the Tennessee occupational safety and health administration.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 50-3-307(a)(1), is amended by deleting the phrase "by certified mail" and substituting instead the language "by certified mail, by delivery service with delivery receipt, or via hand delivery," so that the amended statute would read:

(a)(1) If, upon an inspection or investigation, the commissioner believes that any employer is not in compliance with any standard or regulation promulgated by the commissioner pursuant to this chapter, the commissioner shall, with reasonable promptness and in no event later than six (6) months following the inspection, issue to the employer by certified mail, by delivery service with delivery receipt, or via hand delivery, a written citation that states the nature and location of the violation, including a reference to the provision of the chapter, the standard or regulation alleged to have been violated.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 23, 2007


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


RON RAMSEY, SPEAKER
SENATE OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 7th day of May 2007



PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR